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STATEMENT UNDER CFR 1.821**I. Introductory Comments**

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II. Specification Amendment

On page 3, the paragraph beginning on line 25 is amended to read:

The vasoactive intestinal peptide (VIP), SEQ ID NO: 1, is a basic peptide containing 28 amino acid units whose sequence is (Mutt V and Said SI: European Biochemistry 1974, 42:581):

On page 5, line 6 is amended to read:

ACHPA-38 SEQ ID NO: 2

On page 5, line 11 is amended to read:

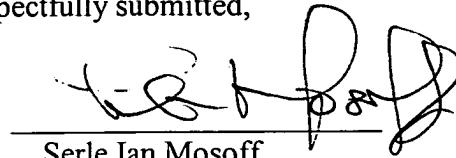
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III. Statement

The Sequence Listing content of the paper and the computer readable copy are the same.

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